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I am opposed to the proposed Microsoft Anti Trust Settlement. It is far too lenient on Microsoft. Bill Gates and Microsoft have stolen money from nearly every household in America. Bill Gates has practiced predatory business practices while failing to support the user, while failing to produce a secure operating system, while failing to insure the end user can maintain the back up integrity of their data from upgrade to upgrade.

Bill Gates on one hand has used the lack of regulation and enforcement to his advantage, while on the other hand selling an inherently flawed product and then hiding behind licensing laws that deny the user any protection from buggy, leaky, and generally badly written application and operating software.

I believe Microsoft should be broken 4 companies. (1) Consumer operating systems, (2) Internet applications, (3) Application software such as business suites, (4) Network operating systems.

Sincerely

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